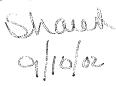


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## RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the Official Action of August 27, 2002 and the requirement for restriction presented in it, applicants elect the subject matter of Group I, that is claims 1-23 drawn to the apparatus of a rotor without traverse.

An examination on the merits is awaited.

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